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QU'APPELLE STATION, N.W.T., THURSDAY, DEC. 21, 1899

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### MEETINGS.

THE MUNICIPAL COUNCIL, at South Qu'Appelle, held its first meeting on Monday, Dec. 18th. The Mayor presided, and the following members were present: Mayor, Councillors, and the Mayor's Committee. The Mayor's Committee reported on the progress of the work of the committee during the past year. The Mayor's Committee also reported on the progress of the work of the committee during the past year.

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### Territorial Tips.

The Moose Jaw Presbyterian congregation have decided to raise \$1,200 for the century fund, part of which will be applied on the centennial debt. —Edmonton Bulletin.

The acetylene gas plant in the Fort St. John post office exploded on Saturday night, a very serious injury to the post office. The explosion occurred through a leaking examination by candle light. —Saskatchewan Herald.

Rev. Norman Russell, formerly a Presbyterian missionary stationed at Regina, writes from Mhow, India, saying that the famine now raging in India may develop into one of the worst which has stricken that country in the present century. —Edmonton Bulletin.

Mr. Stanley Gage, of Sunnyvale, went to Qu'Appelle this week. We shall always be pleased to see Mr. Gage visit Whitehead after his removal. —Whitehead Herald.

Mr. Mitchell, Dairy Superintendent, has returned from a tour down the line, where he was advertising for next year's supply. —West.

The following appointments are suggested: Honorary of the Peace—J. B. Robinson, Eagle Hills, Bar. D. L. E. W. McLean, Moffat, Sask. Wm. Ross, McDonald Hills, Assn. Commissioners for taking affidavits—J. A. McDonald, Fort Qu'Appelle, R. L. Brown, Waseley, E. D. Swander, Lehest. Inspector of Stock—A. B. Nash, Red Deer, Alta., vice W. Postill, resigned.

## WAR NEWS.

Buller Superseded by Lord Roberts.

Monday, Dec. 18.—Summary.

Gen. Lord Roberts will go to the Cape at once to take charge of the campaign. Gen. Lord Kitchener has left Omdurman for Cairo, whence he will hasten to South Africa to act as Gen. Roberts' chief of staff.

Three successive reverses to British arms in one week has cast a gloom over the whole British Empire, but a spirit of determination to win is prevalent.

It is officially announced that a second contingent from Canada has been accepted. This time Canada will send out cavalry or mounted infantry.

Tuesday, Dec. 19th.—Summary. The report of the London Daily Mail correspondent that Buller had crossed the Tugela is not credited. The situation remains unchanged. The chief topic in Canada is the sending of the second contingent. The people in the west are unanimous in their desire to see a contingent of police, ex-police and others who have the hand of a soldier in plainness.

Thursday, 21. The Minister of Militia has announced the composition of the Canadian contingent. Its strength will be 1015. Three squadrons of Mounted Rifles of 541 of all ranks, and three field batteries of 541. There will be no infantry. Half of the mounted men will be taken from the Mounted Police. The best part of the mounted corps will be taken from Western Canada. No officers have yet been selected. There is no news from the front. Gen. Buller, it is expected, is making a flank movement to join Gen. White. The Boers are strongly entrenched at Modder River, and are also massing at Stranburg. London, 21. The gravity of the military situation is again becoming accentuated in the public mind owing to the complete absence of news. Nothing has been heard from Lord Methuen since Sunday and it is feared that his communications have been cut.

A correspondent of the Daily News at Modder River last Saturday says the Boer position is very formidable on Dec. 19th has since been greatly strengthened, extending for an area of 12 miles. It is entrenched according to the most modern methods throughout its entire length. Wire fences have been placed before all trenches. At every point guns have been put in position and there is every evidence that the Boers are well supplied with ammunition. Only a powerful attacking force can hope to make a successful assault.

London, 21. The Boers intend to make a big stand at Stranburg and are massing a great force at the abandoned bridge camp. One command of 2000 consists, chiefly of rebel Dutch. The latest news from Mafeking, dated Dec. 18th, says: A desultory bombardment was continued and the sharpshooters were engaged in a duel in the mornings and evenings.

London, 21. It still seems doubtful whether Gen. Buller abandoned at C. Letourne in possession of the Boers. A despatch from Durban, dated on evening of the battle but only now received, stated that his name was covered by the heavy guns of Gen. Buller and a kronos, capturing an entire line position. The despatch adds that the Boers have thus far not attempted to cross the river in any of their guns. A large force of Pretoria and some force who had an aim and their dead reports to the Boers only with German weapons and a quantity of ammunition captured, besides 200 prisoners. A special despatch from Durban dated Dec. 18th, says it is rumored that Gen. Buller called for volunteers to recover the abandoned guns and that a party moved from the camp after midnight and brought in the guns which were unharmed.

### DIED.

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ROSCOE E. LAW,  
EDITOR AND MANAGER.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 21, 1899.

"Let us have faith that right makes might; and in that faith let us dare to do our duty as we understand it."

## Compliments of the Season.

We wish all our friends and patrons a very Merry Xmas and a Happy New Year. The past has been a year of much prosperity throughout Canada, a share of which we trust has fallen to the lot of each reader. May the new year be one of increased blessing and happiness is our earnest wish.

## LIBERALS DISAGREE.

We have been cognisant of a feeling of dissatisfaction among West Assiniboia Liberals for nearly a year, but as much of it was apparently due to petty and individual jealousy we paid no further heed to it. This feeling grew and objection was made to the manner in which Mr. W. Scott dispensed the patronage in that riding. Soon after we were informed that Mr. Scott had been instrumental in organizing a Young Liberal Association.

When the delegates of the West Assiniboia Liberal Association met at Moose Jaw to select a candidate these Young Liberals claimed the right of representation though they had not been organized when the meeting was called.

After some discussion their claim was allowed but later on one of the Juniors objected to the arrangement and the Seniors withdrew.

An Executive and Central Committee was then chosen, but other difficulties arose and the meeting adjourned sine die.

With a split in the ranks at Winnipeg and another at Regina, matters are not looking any too bright for Western Liberalism.

## NOTES.

The Political editor of "Events" takes pride in stating that he foretold the overthrow of the Greenway government. He based this prophecy on a correspondent's report. This has turned out well thus far, but prophecies on political questions are well known to be as often wrong as right. He goes on to say that "several" are coming as they are to-day. He is a general election will witness the overwhelming defeat of the Liberal government in British Columbia, the Northwest, Manitoba and Ontario. This is not a rash guess.

but a systematic sizing up of public opinion in these provinces.

We do not rely on the "Events" editor's word for it, but judging from all the signs we can observe there is going to be a flop in the Dominion at next elections. Let the Dominion government further reduce the tariff, advocate and carry out a policy of national railways, put export duty on logs and nickel and get rid of Tarte and they may save themselves. Otherwise we are afraid the above prophecy will prove true.

The Canadian government cannot do better than equip and send out at Canada's expense another thousand men to South Africa. Let them send cavalry this time. One thousand mounted police and explosives would be an excellent regiment for the guerilla warfare apparently necessary in that country. The serious reverses lately must be wiped out by complete victory.

Since writing the above an official despatch has been received announcing that a second contingent has been accepted. It will consist of cavalry or mounted infantry and it will be sent as soon as possible.

## Millions Will be Spent

### Plans for Diverting Grain to the Canadian Route.

The plans originated by a syndicate of American and Canadian capitalists, which provide for the construction of huge grain elevators at Montreal, Quebec and Port Colborne, and the construction of a fleet of steel vessels to transport from the upper lakes to the Canadian seaboard are now practically complete, and in fact well under way. The elevators are to be of steel, and some of them are to have a capacity of 3,000,000 bushels. Their construction involves a total outlay of \$1,500,000. Contracts are being awarded for the construction of a fleet of a dozen grain carriers, and these are to be ready by the fall of 1901, so that they may take part in that season's operations. Each of these vessels will cost from \$150,000 to \$200,000, and in dimensions will be 250 by 33 feet. It is understood that the Bertram Shipbuilding Company of Toronto has received the contract for building six of the dozen new steamers. Of the remainder, some will be built by the Collingwood Shipbuilding Company, some in the shipyards at Three Rivers and the rest on the Clyde. A representative of the syndicate left last week for the Clyde to give the necessary instructions to the contractors there. The fall of 1901 is the outside date for the completion of the vessels. It is hoped, however, to have two or three ready for operations next summer. It is not considered that even a dozen steamers will long suffice to meet the immense trade which it is hoped to divert to the Canadian waterway, and the view of the gentlemen who have engaged in the enterprise is that at the expiration of three or four years their fleet will be at least doubled.

The object of these plans, in of itself, as they do, an immense outlay, is to divert the grain carrying trade which now goes by the Buffalo and Erie Canal route to New York into Canadian channels. This has been rendered possible by the deepening of the St. Lawrence Canals to a uniform depth of fourteen feet. Hitherto the fact that vessels of large draught could not pass from the point of transshipment on the upper lakes straight through to Montreal has greatly handicapped the Canadian route. The completion of work on the St. Lawrence canals has removed this drawback, and now it is possible for grain carriers of a draught equal to those which are seen on the Welland Canal to reach the seaboard by Canadian waterways. But the lack of a sufficient depth of water in the channels is not the only one from which the Canadian route has suffered. The want of elevators at the point where grain is transhipped on the upper lakes and also at Montreal has been severely felt. Now it is to be made good and under the proposed scheme the largest quantity are to be erected at Montreal, Quebec

and Port Colborne. The last mentioned place is destined to play a most important part in the project, and will bear the same relation to the Canadian grain route that Buffalo does to the route via the Erie Canal.

Port Colborne will be the point where grain destined for Montreal or Quebec will be transferred from the huge vessels navigating the upper lakes to the canal freighters. Port Colborne has a harbor well adapted by nature for the anchorage of large vessels, but in order to make it still more accessible and secure the government have determined upon the construction of a large breakwater, piers and other works. The erection of the big elevator contemplated by the syndicate is also to will complete the facilities needed.

The latter member of the syndicate is Mr. Connors, proprietor of the Buffalo Courier. That gentleman is largely interested in the grain-hauling trade at Buffalo, but in common with others in the same business, has suffered considerable loss and had his patience sorely tried by various occurrences, such as the strike of grain-handlers, which paralyzed the movement of grain at Buffalo for a considerable time last summer. Mr. Connors has come to the conclusion that the Canadian is the cheapest carrying route for western grain, and has given a practical evidence of his views by actively associating himself with the present enterprise. Many of the Buffalo forwarders, while conceding the superiority of the Canadian route, have claimed that it could only be made profitable by the vessels employed bringing return cargoes from the seaboard. This point has not been overlooked in the plans of Mr. Connors and his Canadian associates, and such arrangements are being made as will insure for the fleet of grain-carriers an ample trade in commodities intended for the interior. Large receiving and forwarding warehouses at Toronto and cheap season of navigation are included in the freight rates from the east during the plans. Truth.

The Dominion government are at last yielding to the wishes of the people and propose putting an export duty on nickel. This move will meet with the approval of all thinking Canadians.

## Hail Insurance Meeting.

On Monday morning last the annual meeting of The Farmers' Mutual Hail Insurance Company was held at their offices at Winnipeg with Mr. Martin Parker in the chair. Premier Haultain was present and asked the chairman who the auditor was and by whom appointed. On being informed that no auditor had been officially appointed, but that Messrs. Conklin and Moffat, of Winnipeg, had undertaken to prepare a statement ready for that afternoon, Mr. Haultain questioned the right of the management to appoint their own auditors. On the request of Mr. Haultain, Mr. Reeves named the following as directors: Mr. Martin Parker, Winnipeg; Mr. C. P. Reeves, Glenwood, Minn.; Messrs. E. A. Taylor and R. A. Bonnar, Winnipeg; and Mr. P. Peterson, Glenwood, Minn.

The chairman received a reprimand from Mr. Haultain and was given some lessons on the duties of a chairman, owing to his anxiety that the meeting be adjourned before all present were satisfied and had secured the information they desired. Mr. Haultain made the claim, for the guidance of the scrutineers, that all shareholders, whether in arrears in their payments or not, had a right to vote.

Mr. D. W. McQuag and Mr. Townsend were then appointed scrutineers, and the meeting adjourned till 2 p. m.

## Canadian War Horses.

While Canada thinks she has mounts suitable for use in the Imperial army, it will be difficult to convince the war office that such is the case. The following from an English exchange shows how the subject is viewed in the old land: "The Canadian Secretary of State has recently cabled to Great Britain

to the effect that Canada is in a position to supply artillery horses for South Africa. Some doubt this statement, and refer to the fact that a few ago an Imperial officer who visited Canada could not obtain a sufficient supply of horses for remounts for the cavalry. When the civil war was in progress Canada supplied a great many horses for use in the army. But since then horse-breeding has greatly deteriorated in that country, and instead of having a supply of really good horses suitable for army or artillery purposes, many of the Canadian owners are overstocked with a lot of inferior animals for which there is no regular or active demand. An improvement has, however, been made in this direction during the past year or two.—The Non-West Farmer.

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Sat.	9	78	20
Sun.	10	76	7
Mon.	11	76	7
Tues.	12	73	7



Qu'Appelle Lodge, F. & A. M., to be held in the Masonic Hall, Qu'Appelle, on the 23rd inst. before the meeting, 8 o'clock, for the purpose of electing a new committee.

F. REIL, Sec.

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## LOCAL NEWS

Go to L. J. Longpre's the barber, and get your shaves sharpened ready for skating.

### S. Peter's Pro-Cathedral.

In memoriam services will be held next Sunday for the soldiers who have fallen in the present war. Services at 8.30 a. m., 11 a. m. and 7 p. m.

Orders for Daily and Weekly Globe taken at THE PROGRESSOR office. Weekly Globe \$1 a year. Daily Globe \$2 a year.

### Presbyterian Xmas Tree.

The Christmas tree for the benefit of the Presbyterian Sunday School will be held on the night of New Year's. A good programme is being prepared.

### Christmas Bargains

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### Memorial Windows.

The Lord Bishop will dedicate two memorial windows in S. Peter's Pro-Cathedral today. S. Thomas' day, at 3 p. m.

### New Blinds.

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### 'Cuse Me While I Choke.

A three year old girl of one of our townsmen, who is being trained by her mother to be polite, was taken out to dinner last week. Something she had eaten made her feel a little sick during the evening, and she wanted to be taken out of the parlor. She went to her mother and lisped "'Cuse me." On being asked by her mother what for she said "while I choke."

### Christmas Night.

The Christmas tree and entertainment of the Methodist Sabbath school to be held in the town hall on Christmas night, promises to be a treat for all who attend. The scholars have been practicing regularly under a good training committee, and are now able to give their parts in good style. A brilliant cantata will be presented. The laughable dialogue "The Preacher's Christmas" will be an attraction. Besides these a number of recitations, solos, duets and choruses will be given. The distribution of presents from the tree will be a very interesting part of the evening proceedings. All, whether of the Methodist denomination or not, are urged to make use of the tree if presenting their friends here with presents.

### House Warming.

Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Bulstrode moved into their new house the first part of last week. As well pleased were they with the way the house was laid out and the workmanship of the different artisans that they gave a dinner last Saturday night to the workmen and their wives and a few friends, as a "house warming." They have good reason to feel pleased, or even proud, of their house. So many houses are built with no comfort or convenience inside their four walls that when the opposite is met with it strikes one at once. Not only is Mr. Bulstrode's house one of the exceptions in its layout but it is well finished throughout. The ceiling of the ground floors are of cedar finished in oil. All the walls and the ceilings upstairs are nicely plastered. Everything is as bright as a new silver dollar. A sumptuous dinner of fowl, English plum pudding and first class dessert was served and after the drive even the usually spare eaters

were anxious to do full justice to such a spread. The evening was passed in pleasant conversation. Fruit, nuts and confectionery were passed around during the evening. The evening was a pleasant one for all and the guests dispersed sorry only for one thing—that they had to go out from such a comfortable house into the cold night. We wish Mr. and Mrs. Bulstrode much happiness in their new home.

### School Concert.

Chas. F. Craig, Chicago's great character entertainer, gave a concert in the town hall on Monday evening last. The short time allowed for advertising and the unknown quality of Mr. Craig's entertainment were no doubt accountable for the small audience, but there is no doubt that were he to appear here again he would be favored with a full house. His repertoire was rich in humor and his quick changes were worthy of special mention.

## PERSONALS

Mrs. Raymond left on Monday night for a visit in Wolesley.

Thos. Clark left town Sunday night for a visit in Ontario.

Mrs. Cullen, of Calgary, is visiting her mother, Mrs. J. Wilson.

J. A. McDonald, of Lebrat, left on Saturday for Alexandria, Ont.

W. G. Vickers took the east bound train for Ontario on Tuesday night.

Miss Cameron went east, as far as Indian Head on Monday, where she will visit friends for a time.

Mrs. G. M. Bailey and Mrs. Geo. Needham and two boys went east Monday night on a visit to friends in Ontario and Quebec. They expect to be away about three months.

## J. W. CONNELL, M. L. A.

Biographical Sketch of the Candidate for East Assiniboia.

J. W. Connell, M. L. A., who is of Irish descent was born in 1858 near Toronto. His early days were spent in Western Ontario and in 1882 he came westward and his first business venture was in running a stage line between Brandon and Deloraine. He removed to Carleton Place in 1883 and has resided there ever since. He is a farmer on an extensive scale, cultivating yearly some 400 acres. He became a member of the Carleton Place Elevator Co. in 1883 and subsequently sold out to J. G. Turill. He then became President of the Carleton Place Farmers Grain Co., which office he still holds. He is also agent for Massey Harris Co. at that point.

His first public appearance in politics was in 1884 when he contested the constituency of Somers for the North-west Council against J. G. Turill and was defeated. He ran again for the same seat in 1891 against G. H. Knowing and again suffered defeat. The third time however he was successful being returned by a majority of 93.—Regina Standard.

Next year we may expect to read something like the following in the next paper: "About ten o'clock this morning a horseless milk wagon loaded with cowless milk collided with a brainless rider on a chainless wheel. The luckless wheelman was badly injured, and being helpless, he was taken in a horseless cab to the home for the friendless."

### Deal Gently With the Irving.

We have just received from the publishers a copy of the Irving songs. The words are by Mrs. John A. Irving, and the music is from the Irving collection. Everything he writes has an immediate sale, and this song is no exception to the general rule. Both the words and music are very much alike the general run of songs and are predicted a genuine success for it. It is being sung by many young people in the theaters of the United States such as New York, Boston, Philadelphia, etc. etc. The Irving songs are very popular, and are being sung in the homes of the rich and the poor. The Irving songs are very popular, and are being sung in the homes of the rich and the poor. The Irving songs are very popular, and are being sung in the homes of the rich and the poor.

## LIBERAL MEETING.

A MEETING of the Liberal Association will be held in the Town Hall on Saturday, 23rd inst., at 2 o'clock p. m. J. McNAUGHTON, Secretary.



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DIED.

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